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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AUTOMATICALLY CONTROLLING OPTICAL SIGNAL POWER IN OPTICAL

TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS

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Applicants submit herewith four (4) sheets of formal drawings (FIGS. 1-5) in response to NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS mailed April 5, 2002 (copy attached).

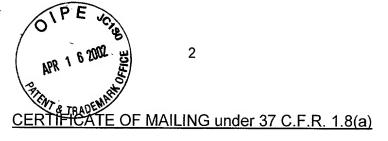
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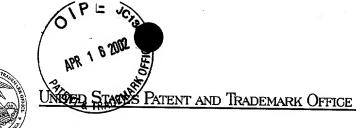


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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted.

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